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28 DEC 1954

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington 25, D. C.

ATTENTION: Mr. Sam Papich

SUBJECT: LANOIT, Corliss
Security Matter - C
Perjury

1. Reference your letter of 15 November 1954 directed to the attention of Deputy Director of Plans requesting information regarding the present location of Balmas HIDALGO.

2. Mr. HIDALGO is currently stationed in the Panama Canal Zone and recently established a private residence in Panama City, Panama.

3. Should a representative of your office desire to interview HIDALGO, it is suggested that he contact Mr. William G. THARP, Chief, ASU 7551, Fort Amador, Canal Zone. Mr. THARP, who will be expecting such a contact, will arrange to have HIDALGO available for an interview.

4. It should be noted that any publicity concerning HIDALGO or open testimony in court by him would mitigate against the best interests of this Agency. It would be appreciated, therefore, that before any action of this nature is taken, prior coordination be effected with this office.

FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE:

Sheffield Edwards
Director of Security

cc: #78893

Special Agent Shortley, HFO, has coordinated this matter with Mr. John Bonnet, Chief, WH/Panama, Room 1120, Wing A, Barton Hall. Bonnet furnished HIDALGO's location and availability for interview by the FBI. Bonnet has also dispatched a cable to THARP to expect such a contact.

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